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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 2, 2009, Examiner states that the Information Disclosure Statement filed June 16, 2006 fails to comply with 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2) which requires a legible copy of each cited foreign patent document. Applicants submit herewith a duplicate Form PT/SB/08 and copies of all references cited therein. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the references listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.

All references listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08 are referred to in the corresponding German application.

The Examiner will note that English language counterparts or Abstracts of non-English language references are also enclosed, as follows:

DE 198 40 489 A1 – An English translation and Abstract is provided.

DE 44 08 729 A1 – Corresponds to CA 2144588. A copy of the corresponding CA application and an English Abstract are provided.

DE 698 14 629 T2 – Corresponds to CA 2297158 and WO 99 05319. A copy of the corresponding WO application and an English Abstract are provided.

DE 697 02 398 T2 – Corresponds to WO 98 08548. A copy of the corresponding WO application and an English Abstract are provided.

DE 695 28 705 T2 – Corresponds to US 5,858,195; US 6,345,142 and US 6,001,229. A copy of the corresponding US 5,858,195 application and an English Abstract are provided.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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